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The House met at 10 a.m.

The Reverend B. William Vanderbloemen, Jr., Memorial Presbyterian Church, Montgomery, Alabama, offered

the following prayer:

Eternal and everlasting God, we thank You that You have given us another day. And not only another day, O Lord, but a day in the greatest country in the world. Today we ask that You bless us, bless us indeed, and allow our Nation to prosper. We pray that You keep Your hand upon us, protect us from evil, and keep us from causing pain. Bless us O Lord.

Lord, we shudder to think that You have called us to be the leaders of this great Nation, and we humbly ask for Your help. If the task is left only to us and to our abilities, we will surely fail, O Lord. If we should seek to build this country on our own guidance, we will build only a house of cards. But You O Lord, are the rock; may You be our foundation and our help today.

We know O God, that You do not simply call the qualified to lead, but You qualify the called. So qualify us by Your grace. Empower us to follow the

calling You have given us.

May we as individuals, as a deliberative body, and as a nation, follow You this and every day; so that one day, when time finally falls exhausted at Your gates of glory, we might hear You say, "Well done, thou good and faithful servant."

Bless us O Lord. Bless us indeed. In the name of Your Son, Jesus Christ our Saviour, we pray.

Amen.

THE JOURNAL

The SPEAKER. The Chair has examined the Journal of the last day's proceedings and announces to the House his approval thereof.

Pursuant to clause 1, rule I, the Journal stands approved.

Mr. McNULTY. Mr. Speaker, pursuant to clause 1, rule I, I demand a vote

on agreeing to the Speaker's approval of the Journal.

The SPEAKER. The question is on the Chair's approval of the Journal.

The question was taken; and the Speaker announced that the ayes appeared to have it.

Mr. McNULTY. Mr. Speaker, I object to the vote on the ground that a quorum is not present and make the point of order that a quorum is not present.

The SPEAKER. Evidently a quorum is not present.

The Sergeant at Arms will notify absent Members.

The vote was taken by electronic device, and there were—yeas 368, nays 52, answered "present" 1, not voting 12, as follows:

[Roll No. 249]

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Akin	Brown (FL)	Cummings
Allen	Brown (OH)	Cunningham
Andrews	Brown (SC)	Davis (CA)
Armey	Bryant	Davis (FL)
Baca	Burr	Davis (IL)
Bachus	Burton	Davis, Jo Ann
Baker	Buyer	Davis, Tom
Baldacci	Callahan	Deal
Baldwin	Calvert	DeGette
Ballenger	Camp	DeLauro
Barcia	Cannon	DeLay
Barr	Cantor	DeMint
Barrett	Capito	Deutsch
Bartlett	Capps	Diaz-Balart
Barton	Cardin	Dicks
Bass	Carson (IN)	Dingell
Becerra	Carson (OK)	Doggett
Bentsen	Castle	Dooley
Bereuter	Chabot	Doolittle
Berman	Chambliss	Doyle
Berry	Clay	Dreier
Biggert	Clayton	Duncan
Bilirakis	Clement	Dunn
Bishop	Clyburn	Edwards
Blagojevich	Coble	Ehlers
Blumenauer	Collins	Ehrlich
Blunt	Combest	Emerson
Boehlert	Condit	Eshoo
Boehner	Conyers	Etheridge
Bonilla	Cooksey	Evans
Bonior	Cox	Everett
Bono	Coyne	Farr
Boswell	Cramer	Fattah
Boucher	Crenshaw	Ferguson

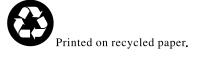
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